



South Carolina Criminal Justice Academy



CDV Culturally Diverse Victims

Class Limit: 25

Course Location: See training calendar.

Course Description:

This block of instruction is to educate the law enforcement officer about culture and diversity and how CDV cases are affected by these factors. This will include the importance of cultural sensitivity. The need to be aware of resources, ways of communications with non English speaking individuals, laws to protect victims, immigration status, and special barriers faced by multi-cultural victims. Emphasis will be placed on the Hispanic population as that is a rapidly growing portion of the population in South Carolina.

Who Should Attend?

Patrol officers, Victim advocates, investigators, school resource officers, and any other law enforcement officer who will be working with victims of domestic violence.

CLEE Credits: 3 CLEE Hours